



MFCP #3 Sector

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Michael J. Narayan et al.

Serial No.: 09/843,452

Filing Date: April 26, 2001

Title: SYNCHRONIZATION AND RECOVERY
OF PEERS IN A PEER TO PEER ENVIRONMENT

)
) Attorney Docket No. MFCP.81824
)
) Group Art Unit: 2153
)
)

COPY OF PAPER
ORIGINALLY FILED

<p align="center">CERTIFICATE OF MAILING 37 C.F.R. 1.8</p> <p>I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as First Class Mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to: Box Missing Parts, Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on:</p> <p>1227/11 <i>Sander Houwer</i> Date Signature</p>	
---	--

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS
OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

Box Missing Parts
Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

RECEIVED
MAR 28 2002
Technology Center 2100

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed June 22, 2001, enclosed herewith is the signed Declaration for Patent Application and an Assignment of the invention to Microsoft Corporation. Also enclosed is a copy of the Notice, a check in the amount of \$130 for the surcharge, and a \$40 check for the assignment recordal fee.

Respectfully submitted,
Scott B. Strohm
Scott B. Strohm
Reg. No. 42,172

slh
SHOOK, HARDY & BACON L.L.P.
One Kansas City Place
1200 Main Street
Kansas City, Missouri 64105-2118
816/474-6550 (Phone)